

24 October 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Houston

SUBJECT: House Appro. Com'te Investigation Of Special
Warfare Programs Of DOD And Related
Government Agencies

1. I talked to Mr. Conroy of the House Appropriations Committee Investigation Staff and laid on a meeting for yourself and General Walsh to meet with Mr. Landen L. McDowell and Mr. H. Branch Wood, Committee investigators, at 2:00 p.m., Friday, 25 October. I advised Mr. Conroy that I was scheduling this meeting (the time of which is subject to confirmation both ways) to go into the question of the mechanics of coordination with DOD. Mr. Conroy hedged mildly on this point of purely the mechanics of coordination. However, we were in complete accord that the question of CIA activities and operations in this field will not be covered.

2. It appears to me that Mr. Conroy is in somewhat of a supervisory capacity and that Mr. McDowell and Mr. Wood are the knowledgeable investigators.

3. As this matter stands now, I would suggest that the meeting be held here in your office and I will meet the good gentlemen at the door, have them documented, and bring them up here to the office.



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